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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed September 30, 2004.

Request for Extension of Time

Applicant requests a one-month extension of time from December 30, 2004 to the date hereof to submit this Response. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account. 50-2213 (Order No. 061450-0304606 for the requisite one-month small entity extension fee of \$60.00.

Please amend the application as follows:

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